

National Energy
Board



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North Montney Project Application to Participate

Step 1 – I am applying as:

A Group

Select which one best describes your Group:



My group is an organization that will represent its own interests



My group is a collection of individuals with common interests. If so, you **MUST** list the first and last names of the Individual(s) you represent for this ATP Form to be considered and you must check the box below.



I have permission to identify and speak on behalf of the people listed below.

Name (s):

ExxonMobil Canada

(You may attach additional pieces of paper if required).

NOTE: Individual persons you are representing as part of a Group with a common interest do not have to complete a separate ATP form.

The following describes the categories under which you may apply. If you want to apply as an individual or authorized representative, please contact the National Energy Board (NEB or Board) and request a form for that category.

An **Individual** is one person or landowner who may or may not have a lawyer or person speaking on their behalf and who will represent their own personal interests. Apply as an Individual if you plan to bring forward issues regarding personal impacts or property-specific issues, and you are not represented by a Group. Use the **Individual** ATP Form if you have a lawyer or representative but are filling in the ATP Form yourself. If your lawyer or representative is filling in a form for you, you do not need to complete a separate ATP Form.

An **Authorized Representative on Behalf of an Individual** is someone who speaks or submits documents on behalf of an Individual. This may be a lawyer or other person. An Authorized Representative will present the views and personal interests of the Individual they are representing.

A **Group** is:

- an organization with its own interests (for example, a company, NGO, special interest group, Aboriginal group, government agency), or
- a collaboration of two or more people that represents the common interests of those people.

The Group will have a Main Contact Person(s) and may also have an Authorized Representative such as a lawyer. The Main Contact Person will usually fill out the ATP Form on the Group's behalf and will respond to questions in the hearing on behalf of the Group if participation is granted. A Group representing an Individual should select the ATP Form for **Authorized Representative on Behalf of an Individual**.

Step 2 – Hearing Information

The Project to be assessed in this hearing is defined as:

- the construction and operation of 305 km of natural gas pipeline in the Peace River Regional District – known as the North Montney Mainline, it will consist of two sections, Aitken Creek and Kahta.
- the construction of three new compressor stations with bi-directional capability, two on the Aitken Creek section and one along the existing Groundbirch Mainline.
- the construction of 15 new meter stations.
- the construction of temporary infrastructure and right-of-way preparation activities associated with the pipeline and related meter station sites

There will also be an oral portion of the hearing dealing with the proposed tolling methodology.

Project Name: North Montney Project
Company Name: NOVA Gas Transmission Ltd. (NGTL)
NEB File Number: OF-Fac-Gas-N081-2013-10 02
Hearing Order: GH-001-2014

Participant Funding is available for this hearing. For information please see the *Participant Funding Program (PFP) Guide* (insert A in your package).

The NEB has people who can help you to understand the Board's process and answer your questions about process. They can also assist you if you have questions about filling in this ATP form.

For process support on this hearing please contact the Process Advisor Katie Emond by emailing katie.emond@neb-one.gc.ca or calling toll free 1-800-899-1265.

Step 3 – Important Information

The NEB will use only the information provided in this ATP Form to decide whether you are allowed to participate in this hearing. Previously submitted information will not be considered. It is important to provide all the requested information on this ATP Form. It is your responsibility to demonstrate that the NEB should allow you to participate.

You must fully complete all required fields on this ATP Form in order to be considered. If you do not provide sufficient information on this ATP Form, you will not be allowed to participate.

You should refer to the Guidance document called *Guidance Document on Section 55.2 and Participation in a Facilities Hearing* (insert B in your package) when filling in your ATP form.

Service: You must serve a copy of your final ATP Form on NOVA Gas Transmission Ltd. at the following addresses:

Linda Angus
Regulatory Project Manager
TransCanada PipeLines Limited
Phone: (403) 920-7163 FAX: (403) 920-2347
450 1 Street SW · Calgary, AB · T2P 5H1
linda_angus@transcanada.com

and provide a copy to:

Sheena Paul
Regulatory Documentation Analyst
TransCanada Regulatory Support Services
Phone: (403) 920-6970 FAX: (403) 920-2347
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sheena_paul@transcanada.com

Step 4 – Privacy Agreement

The Board is authorized to collect, use and disclose personal information in the context of any Board proceeding. Except where confidentiality is granted, all information and documents filed with the Board as an Individual or on behalf of other Individuals will be made public. Additionally, any contact information provided may be used to contact you or serve documents on you.

Under the federal *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act*, the *Regulations Specifying Publicly Available Information* state that personal information in a record of a quasijudicial body (like the Board) is publicly available without consent, provided that the collection, use and disclosure of that information relates directly to the purpose for which the information appears in the record.

By signing here, you are indicating that you have read and understood the above information.

R. R. (Ron) Moore
Digital Signature

Signature

Step 5 – Contact Information – Group’s Main Contact

Enter the name of the person who will appear as your Group’s contact on the List of Parties. Any questions or correspondence to the Group will be sent to the person listed below.

ExxonMobil Canada

R. R. (Ron) Moore

Name [Mr., Mrs., Ms.; First Name; Last Name]

237 Fourth Avenue SW, Calgary

Address 1 [apt.; street; city]

Alberta T2P 3M9 Canada

Address 2 [province; postal code, zip code; country]

403-237-4478

Phone

403-232-5870

Fax

ronald.moore@esso.ca

Email

Step 6 – Contact Information – Authorized Representative for Group

A Group’s Authorized Representative is someone who speaks or files documents on behalf of the Group. You may have more than one Authorized Representative.

Name: R. R. (Ron) Moore

Address: 237 Fourth Avenue SW, Calgary

Alberta T2P 3M9 Canada

Phone: 403-237-4478

Fax: 403-232-5870

Email: ronald.moore@esso.ca

Step 7 – Method or Level of Participation

Tell us how your Group wants to participate:

A Commenter:

- may provide views on the proposed project in a Letter of Comment; and
- is not considered a Party (Intervenor or Company) to the hearing, cannot ask information requests or cross-examine other Parties, and cannot provide final argument.

An Intervenor:

- may provide evidence;
- responds to information requests or oral cross-examination on evidence you file; may ask information requests or cross-examine other Parties who filed evidence; and
- may provide argument.

Intervening requires a time commitment to the hearing process.

The NEB will review your ATP Form and decide whether your Group is allowed to participate.

Additional information about the role of commenters and intervenors may be found in the *Hearing Process Handbook* (insert C in your package).

Please select **one** of the following:

☐ Commenter

☒ Intervenor

Step 8 – Interest or Expertise

The NEB will only use the information provided in this ATP Form to decide if your Group will be allowed to participate in this hearing. No other information will be considered. When completing the ATP Form, you should consider the Hearing Description in Step 2 above and the List of Issues in Step 9.

You should also refer to the *Guidance Document on Section 55.2 and Participation in a Facilities Hearing* (insert B in your package).

You are “**directly affected**” if you have a specific and detailed interest in the proposed Project that may be affected by the Board’s decision. You have “**relevant information or expertise**” if you have knowledge that will assist the Board.

Please select one or both of the following:

- ☒ The Group I am representing is **directly affected** by the proposed Project
- ☐ The Group I am representing has **relevant information or expertise**

Step 9 - Your Group's Connection to the Project Issues

The List of issues that the Board will consider in the North Montney Project hearing is set out below. These are the issues that the Board has determined are relevant to this hearing.

Please identify **at least one issue** that relates to:

- i. How the Group as a whole is directly affected and/or
- ii. The information/expertise that the Group believes is relevant or of value to the Board and provide a brief explanation in the space below.

- ☐ 1. The need for the proposed Project.
- ☒ 2. The economic feasibility of the proposed Project.
- ☒ 3. The potential commercial impacts of the proposed Project.
- ☐ 4. The appropriate tolling methodology.
- ☐ 5. Standards for determining the recovery of costs to provide service on the proposed Project.
- ☐ 6. The potential environmental and socio-economic effects of the proposed Project, including those to be considered under the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act, 2012*.
- ☐ 7. The appropriateness of the general route and land requirements for the proposed Project.
- ☐ 8. The engineering design and integrity of the proposed Project.
- ☐ 9. Potential impacts of the Project on Aboriginal interests.
- ☐ 10. Potential impacts of the Project on landowners and land use.
- ☐ 11. Contingency planning for spills, accidents or malfunctions, during construction and operation of the Project
- ☐ 12. The terms and conditions to be included in any approval the Board may issue.

Limit your answer to no more than 500 words. You may attach additional pieces of paper if required.

ExxonMobil Canada is a major upstream oil and gas resource company with significant resources in Western Canada that will be impacted by the implications of this NGTL facility application.

Step 10 – Access, Notification and Service

Select which official language you would like to use to participate and receive correspondence:

☒ English

☐ French

R. R. (Ron) Moore
Digital Signature

Signature

Step 11 – Review and Submit

You are about to submit your Application to Participate (ATP) Form to the NEB.

Before submitting your application, you should first review it and check that you have:

- ☒ Checked off one box about your Group's interest (Step 1)
- ☒ Checked off that you have permission to identify and speak on behalf of others, and provided their names (Step 1)
- ☒ Signed the Privacy Agreement (step 4)
- ☒ Provided the contact information for the Authorized Representative for the Group (step 6)
- ☒ Checked off ONE box indicating your Group's request to be either a commenter or intervenor (step 7)
- ☒ Checked off your Group's interest or expertise (step 8)
- ☒ Checked off one or more issues (step 9)
- ☐ Provided a brief explanation (step 9)
- ☒ Signed the form (step 10)
- ☒ Made a copy of your form to send to the company (step 3)

When you're ready to submit your ATP form to the NEB, send only the completed ATP form to the address below. (You do not need to return the inserts.)

Sheri Young
Secretary
National Energy Board
444 Seventh Avenue SW
Calgary, AB T2P 0X8
Fax: 403-292-5503

If you notice a typing error or administrative error after filing, contact NEB Regulatory Officer Louise Niro at 1-800-899-1265, or by email at louise.niro@neb-one.gc.ca.